Table 20. Weather Summary, Selected U.S. Cities (Population Weighted Cooling Degree-Days¹)

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The weather for the Nation, as measured by population-weighted cooling degree-days from July 1, 1999, through June 3, 2000, has been 19 percent warmer than last year and 28 percent warmer than normal.

Location	Current 01/01/00 thru 06/03/00	Previous 01/01/99 thru 06/03/99	Normal 01/01 thru 06/03	Percent Change	
				Current	Current
				vs. Previous	vs. Normal
U.S. Total, Population-Weighted	218	183	170	19	28
Cities					
Albuquerque	256	91	86	***	***
Amarillo	243	96	142	153	71
Asheville	105	43	67	***	***
Atlanta	297	274	223	8	33
Billings	15	10	12	***	***
Boise	36	32	14	***	***
Boston	32	42	15	***	***
Buffalo	20	42	23	***	***
Cheyenne	21	0	0	***	***
Chicago	74	52	55	***	***
Cincinnati	105	78	101	35	4
Cleveland	87	49	39	***	***
Columbia, SC	418	351	300	19	39
Denver	54	4	17	***	***
Des Moines	109	52	101	110	8
Detroit	78	52	44	***	***
Fargo	19	40	41	***	***
Hartford	61	46	33	***	***
Houston	837	876	547	-4	53
Jacksonville	491	532	491	-8	0
	165	79		109	22
Kansas City	784	443	135 477	77	64
Las Vegas	45	18	29	***	***
Los Angeles		408			
Memphis	374		328	-8	14
Milami	1,452	1,364	1,309	6	11
Milwaukee	49	31	19	***	***
Minneapolis	55	33	52		
Montgomery	449	425	351 56	6	28
New York	98	92	56		
Oklahoma City	290	229	207	27	40
Omaha Bhiladalahia	121	63	104	92 ***	16 ***
Philadelphia	115	87	71		
Phoenix	1,105	720	835	53 ***	32
Pittsburgh	90	36	52	***	***
Portland, ME	4	12	0	***	***
Providence	38	38	10		
Raleigh	244	202	141	21	73
Richmond	182	140	120	30	52
St. Louis	212	162	183	31	16
Salem, OR	0	4	1	***	***
Salt Lake City	85	25	30	***	***
San Francisco	38	6	0	***	***
Seattle	0	0	0	***	***
Shreveport	557	507	398	10	40
Washington, DC	178	155	134	15	33

¹See Glossary.

*** = Normal cooling degree-days or less, or ratio incalculable.

Note: The total cooling degree-days for the previous cooling season (January 1, 1999 - December 31, 1999) was 1,220 and the normal is 1,192. • A new method for calculating heating/cooling degree days was implemented by the Climate Analysis Center in October 1993, with further refinements implemented in November 1993. The routines incorporate 1961-1990 normals supplied by the National Climatic Data Center, and 1990 census data for calculation of population weighted degree days.